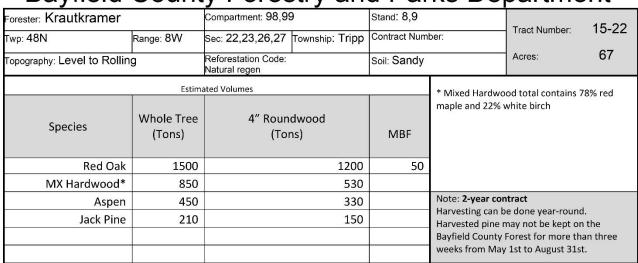
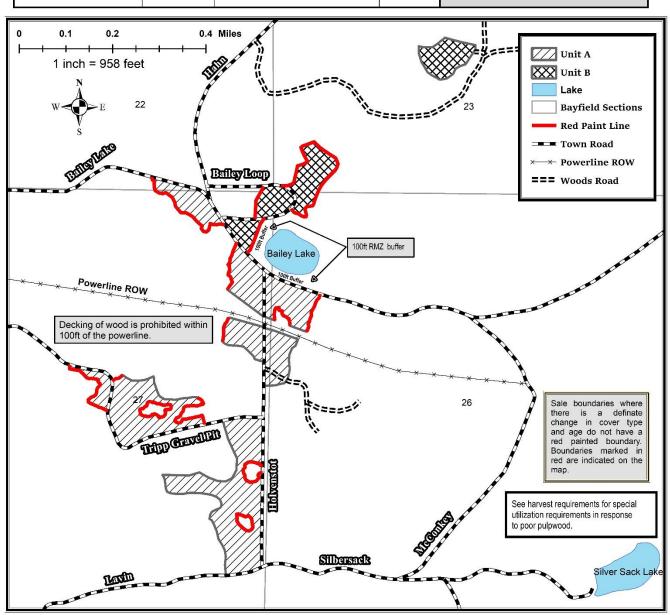
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TRACT 15-22 – HARVEST REQUIREMENTS

The following terms and conditions supplement those provided in the Bayfield County Timber Sale Contract.

A. PRESCRIPTION:

- A. Unit A Clear cut/coppice. The designated harvest area will be an oak harvest with reserve islands. Reserve islands will make up 5% of the total stand being harvested.
- B. Unit B Overstory removal. This designated harvest area will be the removal of the remaining oak trees from a prior shelterwood harvest.

B. HARVEST REQUIREMENTS

- Clear cut/coppice Cut all trees 2" and greater in diameter EXCEPT:
 - Balsam fir, white spruce, white pine, and red pine.
 - Any standing dead snags that do not pose a safety hazard.
- Overstory Removal Cut all remaining red oak. Protect regeneration with minimal residual damage. Designate skid trails to avoid as much damage as possible.

C. OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS and SEASONAL RESTRICTIONS:

- Sale boundaries red paint lines as indicated on map. Stand boundaries that do not have red line are adjacent to stands that have a definite change in the cover type and age.
- This stand can be harvested year-round.
- In 2018, oak wilt was officially confirmed in Bayfield County. Currently, this timber sale is located more than six miles away from the closest known infected tree. However, over the duration of this contract, additional infections could be discovered. If, over the duration of this contract, including extensions, oak wilt is officially confirmed within a six-mile radius of this timber sale, as determined by the county, the following seasonal restriction will be applied: no harvesting operations will be allowed between April 15 (or as otherwise determined by the county) and July 15.
- Biomass harvesting is restricted on this sale.
- There is a 100ft RMZ buffer around Bailey Lake. This shall not be crossed. Boundaries are the sale boundaries.
- Harvested pine may not be kept on the Bayfield County Forest for more than three weeks from May 1st to August 31st.

D. ACCESS AND ROADS:

- This contract requires County authorization for all road/landing construction and places other requirements on road construction and closure.
- Decking of wood along town roads will not be allowed without permission from Bayfield County.
- Decking of wood is prohibited within 100ft of the powerline.

E. OTHER:

- 1. To comply with Best Management Practices for Invasive Species: Prior to moving equipment onto or off the sale area, scrape or brush soil and debris from exterior surfaces to the extent practical.
- 2. Utilization specification is to a 4" top. However, if the County determines that pulpwood markets continue to be very poor at the time of harvest the County will sign a contract amendment with the purchaser changing the utilization specification to a 5" top for selected species. When determining condition of the market, the County will pay attention to the amount of wood being purchased by the mills in Wisconsin Rapids and any other significant shifts in wood demand.